



PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 6082-26

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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Tadashi Kokubo et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1617  
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Application No.: 09/936,166 ) Examiner: Shahnam J. Sharareh  
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Filed: September 10, 2001 )  
)  
For: Radioactive Microspheres Excellent )  
in Chemical Durability and Method for )  
Manufacturing the Same )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**FURTHER REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

In further reply to the Office Action mailed November 26, 2003, **the period for response having been extended to May 26, 2004 by a request for extension of time and fee payment filed concurrently herewith**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment section of this paper.